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## CLEMSON NINE LOSES TWO OPENING GAMES TO UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA BALL PLAYERS

**Makes Some Costly Errors In Two Initial Games—Teams Looks Exceptionally Good At Bat This Year—Garrison Shows Much Promise On Pitcher's Mound**

The 1924 baseball season officially opened on Riggs Field Friday and Saturday, and the two opening games went to the veteran ball club from the University of Georgia. Although the play of the Tigers did not appear much against the smooth functioning of the experienced Georgians, there is promise of better things before the season is over. The first game resulted in a 19 to 5 victory for the visitors, while the second closed with the tally 11 to 4 in the same direction.

Though the fielding was very loose in the first game and in the latter stages of the second, Coach Durfee has a team which with more experience in playing together, should form a smooth-working machine. The pitching has been the chief problem, and three hurlers—Dan Stewart, Bernie Wilbanks, and Woodside—were unable to stem the barrage of hits from the bats of the slugging Bulldogs. Charlie Garrison went the whole route on the hill Saturday, and pitched what was, on the whole, a good game. He allowed only six hits, not more than two in any inning, and, despite issuing six walks to first, deserved a closer game. The score would have been closer had his team-mates continued the excellent support they furnished in the opening frames.

The brightest spot on the horizon is the fact that the Tigers' are hitting. Their willow-work cracked out a total of thirteen hits in the two games. Pat Harmon delighted the fans with his slugging, and Saturday he was rewarded with promotion to the clean-up position in the batting order. In the two days he cracked out two singles and a three-base clout in five legal at-bats.

The first game was a caraval of slugging and poor fielding. The Georgians began driving out hit after hit in the very first inning, combining these with Tiger miscues to send many runs across the plate. In the first frame the Bulldogs batted once around and over half way down their batting order again before Clemson got a chance at the bat. Nine runs were shoved across in this inning.

A total of seven two-baggers and two three-baggers bombarded the outer gardens of the Riggs Field in the opening contest. Five of these two-base hits were for Georgia, while Felder and "Doc" Melton drove out Clemson's. The triples were from the bats of Pat Harmon and Fred Sale, the hurler who chunked 'em in good style for Georgia.

The second game was a much better exhibition of baseball during (Continued on page three)

## FREELAND HEARS "Y" FOR SESSION 1924-25

**Will Head Clemson "Y" During Coming Session Of '24-'25—T. J. Hart Will Be Vice-President—S. W. Henry Elected Secretary**

At a meeting of the active members of the Clemson Y. M. C. A., held as Vesper services Sunday, March 30, the annual election of officers took place. The men chosen for the three important places were:

B. W. Freeland—President  
T. J. Hart—Vice-Pres.  
S. W. Henry—Secretary

These men will direct the activities of the "Y" during the coming year, and will constitute a nucleus around which the Y. M. C. A. Cabinet will be built.

The members of the local association are highly pleased with the selection of a president. Freeland, who is from Crowley, Louisiana, has been an active worker in Christian activities since he has been at Clemson. He has the initiative and "push" that are needed in the leadership of any organization; and he has the happy faculty of being a good mixer. These qualities should go a long way toward helping him to advance "Y" work here.

T. J. Hart, from Vance, S. C., the vice-president elect, is another man who has given much of his time and talent to Y. M. C. A. work. "Tommy" is a track man, and has worked hard in that branch of athletics during the past three years. If he shows that same perseverance in "Y" work that he shows on the track, he should be a mighty capable assistant to "Holtzy" and Freeland.

The secretary, S. W. Henry, of Allendale, S. C. has associated himself with the Y. M. C. A. since his "rat" days. He follows in the footsteps of his brother, who also took a lead in the "Y" work for a number of years. Henry should be well fitted for his secretarial duties, having been Y. M. C. A. Editor on the Tiger Staff during the current session. He fulfilled his duties in that capacity in a praiseworthy manner, as we know he will fulfill the duties of his new position in the same way.

In a short speech after his election, Freeland promised to do his best to carry on the good work that the Association has done at Clemson in years past; but he urged the necessity for the cooperation of all active members of the Y. M. C. A. in working for one great and noble goal. We feel that, with the men who are leading our Y. M. C. A. during the coming session, that goal is nearer its attainment than ever before. —E. H. H.

## PLANS UNDER WAY FOR ATHLETES' HOP

**FORTH-COMING ATHLETIC BALL TO BE BEST SOCIAL AFFAIR OF SEASON**

**ANTICIPATION PICTURES THIS EVENT AS OCCASION OF REAL GAYETY**

As the muchly looked forward-to date of April 25 comes nearer to its dominant position, we see the synopating talent of Tiger town begin to take on new life. This is the date set aside for the annual athletic ball, that is ever a source of joy and merriment to all the participants, that come from far and near.

The dance for this occasion of the present season is already assured of success. Due to the untiring efforts of the men in charge of entertainment arrangements, the services of Fulcher's orchestra have been secured; this in itself is recognized as the best of its kind in the South. It is composed of ten pieces, including two pianos. The above named music makers recently returned from a tour of the northern states, during which trip they were employed by the O. K. phonograph record company for making quite a number of the latest records for that company.

The Clemson students eligible for this dance are all the dancing set who are up to the requirements of the revised ruling on dance eligibility, all athletics, including Freshmen, and those other members of the freshman class who are eligible for dances.

Unfortunately, the big gym will not be used as the scene for the entertainment now under discussion. Due to the temporary arrangement of chapel facilities,

it will be necessary to hold the dance in the small gym, in the Agricultural Hall. Due to this fact, the number of girls present will have to be limited, to a certain extent, in order to prevent over crowding the hall. It has been suggested that the men who expect to have young ladies with them at this time, should place their lady's name on the list just as soon as possible, in order to prevent any undue confusion or misunderstanding.

—J. M. L.

C.A.C.

**Life in Four Acts**

Act I—Their eyes met.  
Act II—Their lips met.  
Act III—Their souls met.  
Act IV—Their lawyers met.

—Dodo.

Taxi-Driver—But I thought I heard the young lady cry "Stop" sir.  
Male Occupant—You did, but she wasn't talking to you.—The Pointer.

He—If you keep looking at me like that, I'm going to kiss you.

She—Well, I can't keep this expression long.—Brown Jug.

## HOLAHAN WILL LEAD THE CLASS OF 1925

**Elected President Of Class Of '25 For Session Of 1924-1925—Will Attend Southern Federation Of College Students Meeting.**

The Junior class met in the big gym last Thursday night for the purpose of electing a man to lead the Class of '25 through its Senior year. Practically every member of the class was present at this meeting, and from the result of the election the man chosen was the choice of nearly all of the Juniors.

Elliot Hall, President of the present Senior class, was present at the meeting. Before the election he made a talk to the boys explaining the necessity for the holding election of next year's Senior class president at this time. The annual conference of the Southern Federation of College Students is to be held at Chapel Hill, N. C. the second week in April. The University of North Carolina is host to the convention this year.

It is the custom to send the retiring president and the incoming president of the Senior class as representatives from Clemson. Thus, it was necessary to elect a man to the office of next year's Senior class presidency in order that he would be able to accompany Hall on this delegation. The purpose of the Conference is to get a closer union between the various student bodies of the South. From this union plans are continually being sent forth regarding problems of college life, such as student government, the Honor system, and other movements in which cooperation is essential. Clemson is especially interested in this year's conference because of the plans that are being made toward instituting student government at Clemson in the near future. Many of the larger schools of the South are already trying this form of discipline, and reports from a majority of them indicates the success of the new movement. Clemson should not fall behind in this forward step, but should forge ahead with the leaders in making students government a necessary part of college life.

Attending this conference will be the first duty of the new Senior class president. Beginning with this trip and lasting until June 1925, he must be constantly on the alert in directing student affairs, in leading his class mates and fellow-students, and in assuming responsibility. To successfully accomplish all these things he must have the confidence and cooperation of the entire student body. We believe that the man selected will step in and make the class of '25 a President of which we will be proud.

R. F. Holahan, of River Falls, S. C., is the man chosen. Since he entered Clemson "Butch" has always been held in high esteem by all the students. Today he is one of the most popular men in college.

## QUARANTINE LIFTED AFTER LONG WEEK

**No Further Cases Of Scarlet Fever Develop—Necessity For Strict Quarantine Is Removed—Cadets Whetstone And Allison Improving**

The quarantine which was imposed by the Clemson College Board of Health on March 21, against spread of scarlet fever, was removed on Friday, March 28, exactly one week later.

The strict precautionary measures of the quarantine probably prevented a further spread of the disease; as there have developed no new cases, and the sick cadets are both rapidly improving in health. Everyone at Clemson is indeed glad that there was no spread of the disease, and that the quarantine lasted such a brief time. The authorities are to be complimented on the quick action they took in getting the one case at the school in hand.

Word comes from the parents of cadet L. D. Allison in Greenville that he is much better and expects to return to Clemson after the necessary period of isolation has elapsed. Cadet Whetstone, in the local infirmary, was seriously ill for only a short time, but is coming along splendidly now. —E. H. H.

C.A.C.

Customer: "Waiter, the ham in this sandwich is awful thin."

Waiter: "Boss, the man that cut that ham used to make cigarette papers out of calling cards."—Ex.

Customer: "Waiter, bring me an order of fly specks."

Waiter: "Sorry, sir, we haven't any."

Customer: "But they are on the menu."—The Burr.

She—"Did you ever eat any Mexican dishes?"

He: "No, but I swallowed some plaster of Paris once by mistake." —Ranger

He was captain of the football team that defeated Furman last Thanksgiving for the State Championship. He has been a member of the football team every year he has been at Clemson.

"Butch" ranks with the best when it comes to studies. He has been an "E" man all the way, and according to his section-mates, Butch just "naturally" knows his subject matter. However, far greater than his scholastic record or his athletic prominence is his record in the minds of his fellow-students. "Butch" has always been termed a good fellow; he has always been the friend of everyone. We feel sure that no better man could have been selected for this position of so much responsibility, this position which requires a gifted leader, than R. F. Holahan. Here's to you, "Butch," may you have the best of luck in everything you undertake. The Class of '25 will be ably led through the last lap of its four-year journey. —E. L. S.



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## Editorials

MR. MCSWEEEN

There is a man at Clemson who has been on our campus a comparatively short time, but who has exerted a great influence for good in that short time. This man is Reverend John McSween, Pastor of the Clemson College Presbyterian Church.

"Mr. Mac," as he is affectionately known to the Clemson boys, has endeared himself to us, both thru his ministerial activities here, and thru the active interest that he has shown in all forms of student activities. He has been a powerful factor in stimulating college spirit at our "pep" meetings; he has been one of the best rooters at our athletic contests; he has addressed our teams, students, and alumni at various functions; and, best of all, he has become such a power in his church that all the boys are eager to hear his sermons.

We heard, a few days ago, that Mr. McSween had a call from the Anderson Presbyterian Church. The good people of Anderson who have come in contact with him are exceedingly anxious to secure Mr. McSween as Pastor in their church. We have since heard, however, that "Mr. Mac" has definitely decided to remain at Clemson, carrying on the good work in which he has made such a success since he came here.

We are delighted to know that Mr. McSween will remain at his present pastorate. We believe that he can do the most good at Clemson, because he is the type of man who appeals to boys. He has been called a regular "he-man," and we think the name fits Reverend John McSween mighty well. We love to hear his big, hearty voice as he speaks in greeting us, for he speaks to every person he meets.

Boys are too often inclined to be neglected, or merely thoughtless in expressing their appreciation to one who has contributed to their well-being and their religious life, but if such has been the case, we wish this editorial to make up for part of that neglect; and, one and all, we are mighty glad to have you stay with us, "Mr. Mac", and may we be of mutual help to each other in the upbuilding of God's Kingdom at Clemson College!

—E. H. H.

## APRIL FIRST

Perhaps one of the principal reasons that the first day of April is commonly known by the cognomen of "April Fool's Day" is that all young things become foolish with the arrival of the first balmy days that mark the arrival of Spring. After the forced soberness of spirit that is necessitated by Winter, we feel that we must give some vent to our exhilaration in some unusual manner. In our childhood days, this feeling finds expression in practical jokes played upon our friends. As we grow older, and begin to "put away childish things," we are less likely to indulge in foolish practical jokes, especially if they are likely to bring harmful results.

The frame of mind changes with the step from adolescence into manhood, and naturally so. We can see how boys want to shoot marbles, spin tops, and go barefooted, but we would feel foolish if we were to try the same things. This feeling is part of the process of development. The same is true of "April Fool" pranks. It is more or less "kid stuff" when a grown boy takes desperate chances and endangers his stay at college by indulging his passion for a harmful joke at the expense of another person or persons.

It may seem a huge joke to a little boy to paint one of the college buildings. It should be a source of regret to the college boy, who realizes that the paint will not come off, but will deface the building forever. The college boy realizes that to "walk out" and miss classes for a day means just so much of his valuable time wasted—just one day in his short life gone for naught. Then, the penalty for misdeeds must be considered. What you do may cause you to leave college. Worse still, it may cast suspicion on your best friend and cause him to leave college. It may cause some of your friends to lose their privileges. It may cast unfavorable reflections upon your best friend on the faculty.

We are glad to know that the Clemson students can cooperate with the faculty in preserving a state of orderly conduct at all times, and we believe that men who conduct themselves as men should, are prepared to assume the privileges and responsibilities of student self-government. This self-government is a great factor in teaching a man to be a man, to assume responsibility, to think for himself, and to cultivate some INITIATIVE.

—E. H. H.

C.A.C.

## THE NINE

The baseball team opened the season against a team composed of experienced ball-players. Georgia's club is composed of men who have played together for nearly four years. Two of their pitchers are of the All-Southern variety. Consequently, those who say that Clemson was in poor form last Friday and Saturday must reconsider. Our team is composed of men who have never played together before. Our staff of pitchers is new and untried. We should feel elated over the fact that from the material available Coach Durfee has rounded out such a good team. With a little more experience and confidence they will be able to hold their own against any team that they will stack up against. The other clubs of the state are sending out distress signals in much larger quantities than Clemson. Within a month our team will have hit their stride, and should be well on the way to the State Championship.

—E. L. S.

## CLEMSON NINE LOSES TO U. OF GEORGIA

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the first portion. No runs were made until the third frame, when the visitors shoved across two counters. The heavy scoring was in the eighth and ninth, Georgia totaling seven runs in these two innings and Clemson doing all her scoring in the eighth. In this frame, the Jungaleers found their batting eyes, and proceeded to drive out five hits, two of them being the double-base variety. All the scores came as the result of this hitting, the clean-out earned run being the only kind Clemson got Saturday.

Georgia										
AB	R	H	PO	A	E					
Middlebrooks, 3b.	3	2	0	1	1	1				
Owens, C. F.	3	0	0	0	0	0				
Watson, 2b.	5	3	2	2	4	1				
Richardson, S.S.	7	2	2	5	3	1				
Thomason, cf&1b	7	2	3	6	1	2				
Ramsey, rf	6	2	3	0	0	0				
Allen, lf	6	2	4	1	0	0				
Moore, 1b&3b	5	3	2	6	1	1				
Power, c	3	0	0	6	2	0				
Sale, p.	5	3	3	0	2	0				

Totals .....50 19 19 27 14 6

Clemson										
AB	R	H	PO	A	E					
Keel, c.	4	1	0	6	0	0				
Melton, r.f.	5	0	1	1	0	1				
Murr, 3b.	4	0	0	1	2	0				
Cox, s.s.	4	0	0	1	4	3				
Felder, l.f.	4	1	1	2	0	2				
Harmon, c.f.	3	1	2	3	0	0				
Salley, 2b.	3	1	1	1	5	1				
Dorsett, 1b.	4	1	1	12	0	0				
Stewart, p.	1	0	0	0	1	0				
Wilbanks, p.	1	0	0	0	0	0				
Woodside, p.	2	0	0	0	2	0				

Totals .....35 5 6 27 13 7

Score by Innings:  
Georgia..... 900 030 034—19  
Clemson ..... 303 110 000—5

Summary  
Stolen bases—Middlebrooks, Watson, Allen, 2; Harmon..  
Sacrifice hits—Moore 2.  
Two-base hits—Ramsey 2, Sale2, Richardson, Felder, Melton.  
Three-base hits—Sale, Harmon.  
Bases on balls—off Stewart 3, Wilbanks 3, Sale 2.  
Struck out by—Stewart 1, Wilbanks 3, Sale 5.  
Wild pitches—Sale 1.  
Passed balls—Keel 1.  
Umpire—Major (Clemson).  
Box Score—Second Game.

Georgia										
AB	R	H	PO	A	E					
Watson, 2b.	6	0	0	2	3	1				
Owens, c.f.	5	2	2	1	0	0				
Richardson, s.s.	4	2	1	3	3	0				
Thomason, 1b.	5	2	0	13	0	0				
Ramsey, r.f.	3	3	1	2	0	0				
Allen, l.f.	3	0	1	0	0	0				
Moore, 3b.	3	0	0	1	0	0				
Power, c.	0	0	0	2	0	0				
Collier, c.	5	0	0	3	0	0				
Munday, p.	5	2	1	0	6	0				

Totals .....39 11 6 27 12 1

"You never can tell," said the bandit, as he shot the only witness to his crime.—Record.

"Get some pretty good grades?"  
"Well, none you couldn't pull with a Ford."—Chaparral.

## BATTING AGERAGES.

	G	AB	R	H	TB	2B	3B	HR	SH	SB	P.C.
Harmon.....	2	5	1	3	5	0	1	0	0	1	.600
Garrison.....	1	4	1	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	.500
Dorsett.....	2	8	2	2	3	1	0	0	0	0	.250
Felder.....	2	8	1	2	4	2	0	0	0	0	.250
Strickland.....	1	5	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	.200
Salley.....	2	7	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	.143
Murr.....	2	8	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	.125
Milton.....	2	9	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	.111
Cox.....	2	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	.000
Keel.....	1	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Stewart.....	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Wilbanks.....	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Woodside.....	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	.000
Team.....	2	70	9	13	19	4	1	0	0	3	.186

Clemson										
AB	R	H	PO	A	E					
Strickland, c.	5	1	1	3	1	0				
Melton, r.f.	4	0	0	2	0	0				
Salley, 2b.	4	1	0	20	0					
Harmon, c.f.	2	0	1	5	0	0				
Felder, l.f.	4	0	1	3	0	2				
Cox, s.s.	4	0	0	0	2	1				
Murr, 3b.	4	0	1	3	5	3				
Dorsett, 1b.	4	1	1	9	0	1				
Garrison, p.	4	1	2	0	3	1				

Totals .....35 4 7 27 11 8

Score by Innings.  
Georgia..... 002 011 340—11  
Clemson ..... 000 000 040—4

Summary.  
Stolen bases—Richardson, Ramsey 2, Power, Strickland, Cox.  
Sacrifice hits—Moore, Collier.  
Two-base hits—Richardson.  
Bases on balls, off Garrison 6, off Munday 1.  
Struck out, by Garrison 2, by Mundy 3.  
Wild pitches—Garrison 1.  
Passed balls—Strickland 1.  
Hit batsmen, by Munday (Harmon); by Garrison (Allen).  
C.A.C.

And Old Tin Type  
Squire—Did you send for me, my lord?

Lancelot—Yes, make haste. Bring me the can-opener; I've got a flea in my knight clothes.—Ex.

Flappers do what old maids think.—Lrye.

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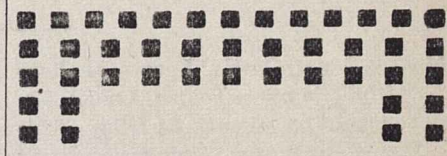
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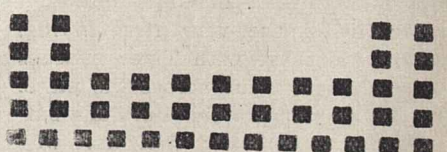
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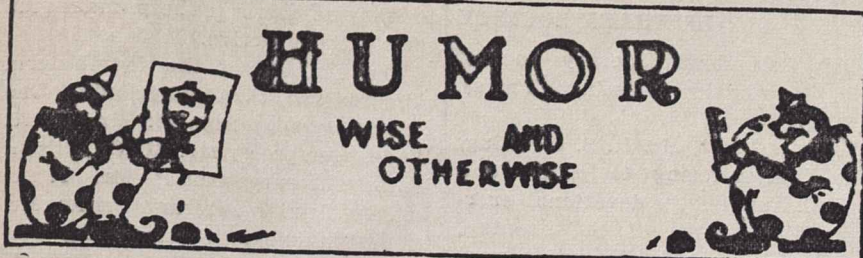
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BY SKINNY AND TOMMY

## Picture Folks

i never read the movie books  
that tell us picture folks;  
now harold loyd haz 4 gag men  
to mfr. jokes

how rudolph says he may cum back  
oh gosh, that's wot i fear,  
and glory swanson cant live on  
nine million bucks a year.

and where bebe daniels gets her  
clothes  
and how shes always gay,  
and that bill heart he keeps six  
dogs  
to chase the girls away.

i never read the movie books—  
its the pictyur that i seek  
two see the kind uv b. v. d.'s  
mae murray wears this week.

—Burr

## Glad This One's Off My System

Well, sir you see, I married a  
widow with a grown-up daughter,  
and then my father married that  
same step-daughter and that made  
my wife the mother-in-law of her  
father-in-law and my father became

EDMUND HALLEY  
1656-1742

Son of a London soap-boiler  
who became Astronomer-  
Royal. At the age of 20 headed  
an expedition to chart the stars  
of the Southern hemisphere.  
Financed and handled the  
printing of Newton's immortal  
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my step-son. Then my step-mother,  
the daughter of my wife, had a son  
but he was also the son of my wife's  
step-daughter and therefore her  
grandson, and that made me grand-  
father of my step-brother. Then  
my wife had a son, so my mother-in-  
law, the step-sister of my son, is  
also his grandmother because he is  
her step-son's child. My father is  
the brother-in-law of my child, be-  
cause his step-sister is his wife, I  
am the brother of my own son, who  
is also the son of my step-grand-  
mother, I am my mother's brother-  
in-law, my wife is her own child's  
aunt, my son is my father's nephew,  
and I am my own grandfather. Can  
you beat that?—Swiped.

## So They Tell Us

She—What is the last thing I  
take off before going to bed?

He—Why, I don't know.

She—My toes off the floor.

—Bean Pot.

Sheem—What are your habits at  
night?

Heem—Pyjamas!—Jester.

Rum runner's latest song, "While  
bringing through the rye."—Ex.

The girl who has the greatest brains  
Is the girl who takes the pains;  
The brightest girl of all the maids  
Is she who pulls down the shades.  
—Ex.

Tobacco is a filthy weed—  
I like it.

It satisfies no normal need—  
I like it.

It makes you thin it makes you lean.  
It takes the hair right off your  
bean

It's the worst durn stuff I've ever  
seen,

I love it.—Ex.

'Tis the last quart of likker left  
standing alone;

All its lovely companions have faded  
and gone.

He saved it for illness, but gloom  
gathers thick,

He eyes that last bottle and feels  
pretty sick.—Ex.

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faithfully represented in the Roto-  
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three-inch portrait of a great in-  
tellectual and a half page illustra-  
tion of a woman in silk underwear.  
—Widow.

## Logic

Frosh—You know more than I do.

Soph—Of course.

Frosh—You know me, and I know  
you.—Sun Dodger.

Sing a song of banquets,  
A flash full of "rye"  
Five and twenty classmen  
Stewed to the eye;  
When the thing was over,  
Fond frat brothers bring  
Their wayward brothers homeward  
Drunk as a king.—Ex.  
—C.A.C.

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Mr. Harry Trescot of Columbia  
and Mr. and Mrs. John Trescott of  
Charlotte visited Mrs. Pickens, Sun-  
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them for a visit of a week.

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## The comet came back

The great comet that was seen by William  
of Normandy returned to our skies in 1910  
on its eleventh visit since the Conquest.  
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and the exact spot in the sky where it  
would first be visible.

Edmund Halley's mathematical calcula-  
tion of the great orbit of this 76-year vis-  
itor—his scientific proof that comets are  
part of our solar system—was a brilliant  
application of the then unpublished *Prin-  
cipia* of his friend Sir Isaac Newton.

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## TRACK TEAM STARTS SEASON WITH MEET AT CHAPEL HILL, N. C.

Hopes To Triumph Over Old North State University In Dual Meet—Expects Considerable Opposition In Tarheel Camp—Second Meet Comes At Athens With U. of Ga.

With this week comes the official opening of the Tiger track season, when the flimsy clad runners, prepared by several weeks training, will pack their bags and entrain for Chapel Hill, there to engage in dual meet with the University of North Carolina. Coach Reed seems pleased, on the whole, with the showing made by his candidates in last Saturday's try-outs. He intends to take eleven or twelve men on this trip, and will exercise great care in selecting the men he thinks best able to bring back the Tarheels' scalps in artistic fashion.

Following more than a month of grueling practice on the half-mile loop encircling Riggs Field, the cinder path men will welcome the opportunity to fare forth in search of other worlds to conquer than their rival candidates for the team. Beginning with the North Carolina meet this week, they enter upon a stern test of six weeks with a meet on every Saturday. Following the first contest, come meets with Georgia, Davidson, the Tech Relays, the State Meet, and the conference meet. Last year Clemson decisively defeated North Carolina and Georgia in a triangular meet here. This year each of the two teams will be met in dual meets on their home tracks, and the Tigers intends to bring back their bacon to his lair.

The State Meet has been for some years a victorious day for Clemson. The opposition promises more resistance this year with Carolina claiming a formidable track team and Furman for the first time devoting active attention to this great sport. However the Tigers should retain their supremacy over the cinder paths of the Palmetto State. Then they will attempt to better the excellent records made by previous Clemson teams in the all-important Southern Conference championships, and the newly established annual relay carnival at Georgia Tech.

Not only do prospects look bright for a victorious squad of runners this season, but the outlook is even more roseate for next season. The bunch of "rats" on the squad is the squad is the most promising ever seen at Clemson—or at least the most promising seen in many a year. Ross Odell, the sensational pole vaulter and all-round track man—who by the way is laid up at present with mumps,—heads the list of new boys. "Rat" Gaines is one of the most fleet-footed distance men the writer has ever watched step around and around the track. He starts out at a killing pace, and the astonishing thing is that he holds to it. Coach Reed is at present having difficulty persuading him to run in spiked track shoes, but once he is broken of that idiosyncrasy, he should be even faster. Many other promising freshmen are out including Mitchell, Turner, King Weathersby and Brown besides many others.

Clemson's sprinters deluxe, Jack Chandler and Charlie Robinson, promise to win many points this season, although Jack has not rounded into mid-season form as rapidly as he should. Provided he gets into condition he will be pointed for the Olympic try-outs to be held in June. The preliminaries for this section will be held in Atlanta, and the sectional winners

will go to the Harvard Stadium for the National try-outs. With his prowess as a hundred-yard man proven by his victories over the South's best in that event last year in the Tech Relays and the Southern Conference meet, Jack should stand an excellent showing in the try-outs for the classical international games.

Charlie Robinson, who is no mean sprinter himself and gets better as the days flash by, looks set for a fine year. Working like a Trojan, "Robby" is running this year in the hundred and the quarter, and he too has an eye focused on the Olympic try-outs. Coach Reed has promised to enter him if he attains a certain time in the quarter, and "Robby" with his natural speed and determination to make good will likely burn up the woods around this section in that event.

Wallace Roy, Columbia Sophomore who made good in football and basketball this year, has tried out for track also. He is making them all hustle in the quarter, and looks likely to be a fast man for this event; besides winning places in his old high-school specialty, the shot put. In this field event, he won first at the state High School meet two years ago.

"Cap" Mace is the chief stand-by in the hurdles, and at present he is without a close competitor here. But Coach Reed is peeling his eagle eye for men with the ability to step the sticks. He has two promising prospects in Bill Elliott and Blakeney.

The place where there is the greatest wealth of material and the hottest competition for position is the half-mile. There we find a quartet of stars in Lewis Smith, Captain Wood, "Johnny" Johnson, and Tom Bailes. Lewis Smith is a natural track man who doesn't mind working, while Wood pushes him hard. Johnson and Bailes are not far behind these two leaders. Although Coach has not mentioned it himself, it does not take much surmising to imagine a peach of a two-mile relay team composed of this quartet of half-milers.

"Big" Sease is the brightest prospect for the mile. In the gruelling two-mile event the competition is hot between "Little" Sease and Tom Hart, with Daniel and T. D. Smith hot on their trail.

Elliott Hall seems to be the "big cheese" of jumpers, besides tossing the javelin for a considerable distance. Elliott will push his opposing jumpers in both the high jump and the broad jump, and his prowess should gain pointage for Clemson in these events. Phipps is also developing into a jumper. Gary Finklea, with his long and brawny limbs, reigns supreme in the weight events. Henderson and Cartee are fighting it out in the pole vault.

—W. W. B.

—C.A.C.—

### BANQUET DECORATIONS

#### PROGRESSING

The Junior-Senior Banquet Decorations are progressing very rapidly. Our rather plain and bare mess hall is becoming a veritable paradise of festoons, streamers, moss, fringe, and banners. Under the artistic direction and aid of Mother "Mid" the decoration committee is turning out some admirable work. They deserve a great deal of credit, because they must sacrifice practically all of their spare time. It means work every afternoon and night to get the job finished in time, not to mention the worry and the patience Mother "Mid" has to contend with. Those on the decoration committee are: Stewart, Coleman, Youngblood, Lee, Wilson, O'Call, Huffman, Lambright, Faires, Graves, Zeigler, Roache, Gillespie, Ayers, and Buck. These men are able decorators and hard workers.

### LIBRARIANS VISIT CLEMSON

Mrs Crown Torrence, who recently attended the meeting of the State Librarians Association in Greenville brought the following visitors back to Clemson with her: Miss Susie Lee Crumley, head of the Carnegie Library School in Atlanta, and assistant librarian in the Atlanta Carnegie Library; Miss Charlotte Templeton, librarian in the Greenville Public Library, formerly head of the Nebraska Library Commission, and later of the Georgia Library Commission; and Miss Eva Wrigley, librarian at Furman College, and formerly of New York and Emory.

These visitors seemed to be favorably impressed with the Clemson libraries, after inspecting same, and enjoyed a pleasant stay at Clemson College.

—C.A.C.—

He—I'm not very good at waltzing.

She—Well, be bad then, but use discretion.—Ex.

### THE COLUMBIAN

#### LITERARY SOCIETY

The Columbian Literary Society held its weekly meeting Friday evening, March 28.

The president, Mr. R. S. Stribling, called the meeting to order, and Mr. J. C. Aull led the devotional exercise. The orator of the evening, Mr. T. A. Bonner, delivered a very forceful and interesting oration on Woodrow Wilson. Mr. J. K. Crowson gave a good declamation, reciting Whitman's "O Captain! My Captain!" The second declaimer being absent Mr. D. W. Stribling gave a splendid declamation on Woodrow Wilson that was in keeping with the oration. Mr. M. A. Evans next presented an instructive reading, "Our Days and Our Ways." Mr. J. N. Todd, the humorist of the evening, enlivened the society with a few well selected jokes.

Mr. Stribling, the retiring president, rendered an appreciative farewell address. Mr. T. L. Jefferies, the fourth term president, took

charge of the chair with a challenge to the members to help make the society more active.

The election of the fourth term officers was then taken up. The results were as follows: Mr. W. M. Wade, vice-pres.; Mr. M. C. Ellison, Senior Literary Critic; Mr. T. A. Bonner, Junior Literary Critic; Mr. L. B. Blakeney, Corresponding Secretary; Mr. B. B. Gillespie, Recording Secretary; and Mr. S. L. Gillespie, Sgt.-at-arms.

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